I would like to add my voice to the multitudes protesting the proposed plan to allow further deregulation in broadcast ownership. I believe that centralized ownership and dissemination of news and culture is antithetical to a democractic society; individual voices can only be further silenced by this potential move. Now is not the time for increased homogeneity and groupthink. Please forestall the legislation until further investigations and studies prove its benefits (or drawbacks).

Thank you.